

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2475
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SHELTERS FOR BACKWARD CLASS WOMEN
Pathak Shri Brajesh;Shiwankar Shri Maha Deo Rao

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government is implementing any scheme for construction of shelters for women belonging to backward classes;
- (b) if so, the number of proposals received by the Union Government from State Governments to construct shelters for women belonging to backward classes during 2006-07;
- (c) the reaction of the Union Government thereto; and
- (d) the total number of shelters for backward class women constructed by the Government so far?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

- (a) No, Sir. The Union Government is not implementing any scheme for construction of shelters exclusively for women belonging to backward classes
- (b) to (d) Do not arise.